

Appl. No. 10/799,274
Response dated January 21, 2005
Reply to Office Action of Sept. 20, 2004

REMARKS

The claims have been amended. No new matter has been added to the application.

Claim 1 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by either of Bazzle et al. or Kim. Claim 1 has been amended to overcome this rejection.

Claim 6 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over either Bazzle et al. or Kim in view of Spector or Moundjian. Claim 1 has been rejected to overcome this rejection.

Claims 7 and 8 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Bazzle et al. or Kim. Claim 1 has been amended to overcome this rejection.

Claim 1 has been amended to specify that the at least one disc provides an appearance of a rotating wheel when rotating. This is not shown in the cited art and it is respectfully submitted that this is not obvious. Claim 20 has been added. It is similar to claims 10 and 19 as filed. It is believed to be allowable, even were claim 1 not allowable, as it is neither anticipated nor rendered obvious by the prior art.

Applicants note with appreciation that claims 11-19 were allowed over the prior art. Applicants also note with appreciation that claims 2-5, 9, and 10 were objected to, but indicated to be allowable. Claim 2 has been amended to place all of these claims in condition for allowance.

Applicants hereby respectfully request a one-month extension of time. The \$60 government fee is attached hereto (20 January 2005 was a federal holiday due to the Presidential Inauguration).

Applicant respectfully submits that the application is in condition for allowance. A Notice of Allowance is hereby respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner feel that a telephone conference would advance the prosecution of this application, he is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner for any extension of time necessary to render this paper timely.

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Enclosed is our Check No. 9182 in the amount of \$60. However, if this amount is insufficient, please charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0694.


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